

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:20-cv-00690-CRC**

BIER v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY et al
Assigned to: Judge Christopher R. Cooper
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/10/2020
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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| 03/10/2020 | <u>1</u> | COMPLAINT against U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number ADCDC-6904858) filed by DAVID BIER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>5</u> Summons)(Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 03/10/2020) |
| 03/10/2020 | <u>2</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Joshua Hart Burday on behalf of DAVID BIER (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 03/10/2020) |

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| 03/10/2020 | <u>3</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew Topic on behalf of DAVID BIER (Topic, Matthew) (Entered: 03/10/2020) |
| 03/11/2020 | | Case Assigned to Judge Christopher R. Cooper. (adh,) (Entered: 03/11/2020) |
| 03/11/2020 | <u>4</u> | SUMMONS (4) Issued Electronically as to U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(adh,) (Entered: 03/11/2020) |
| 04/15/2020 | <u>5</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Diana Viggiano Valdivia on behalf of All Defendants (Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 04/15/2020) |
| 04/16/2020 | <u>6</u> | ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.(Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 04/16/2020) |
| 04/16/2020 | | MINUTE ORDER: Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. It is hereby ORDERED that the parties promptly confer and file a joint proposed schedule for briefing or disclosure by May 1, 2020. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 4/16/2020. (lccrc1) (Entered: 04/16/2020) |
| 04/16/2020 | | Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 5/1/2020 (lsj) (Entered: 04/16/2020) |
| 05/01/2020 | <u>7</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT <i>with Joint Proposed Schedule</i> by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 05/01/2020) |
| 05/01/2020 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration the parties' <u>7</u> Joint Status Report, the parties are ordered to file a further joint status report by June 30, 2020, describing the government's progress in determining the volume of the responsive records and proposing a production schedule. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 5/1/20. (lccrc1) (Entered: 05/01/2020) |
| 05/04/2020 | | Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 6/30/2020 (lsj) (Entered: 05/04/2020) |
| 05/13/2020 | <u>8</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION served on 3/19/2020 (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 05/13/2020) |
| 05/13/2020 | <u>9</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY served on 3/19/2020 (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 05/13/2020) |
| 05/13/2020 | <u>10</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 3/17/2020. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 05/13/2020) |
| 05/13/2020 | <u>11</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 3/17/2020. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 4/16/2020. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 05/13/2020) |
| 06/30/2020 | <u>12</u> | Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Valdivia, Diana) (Entered: 06/30/2020) |
| 07/02/2020 | | MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration the parties' <u>12</u> Joint Status Report, the parties are ordered to file a further joint status report by August 31, 2020, describing the government's progress in determining the volume of the responsive records and proposing a production schedule. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 7/2/20. (lccrc1) (Entered: 07/02/2020) |
| 07/02/2020 | | Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/31/2020 (lsj) (Entered: 07/02/2020) |